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Dear Mr. McAfee:

Via the grapevine I heard of a commendation; at yesterday's staff meeting Minister Lightner congratulated me on it and to-day I have it before me.

Please accept my warmest thanks and convey them also to other officers who were kind enough to express their satisfaction with my services....

As of possible interest I am enclosing copy of an OM to the chief of the political affairs section on one of my semi-weekly trips to the Soviet sector. The East German police (VOPO) has been trying to make us show identification documents, not so much when we go over in our private cars with a "U.S. Forces Germany" license as in an official State Department car. Mr. Brewster briefed me a few weeks ago, what to do, what to say and promised me a nice funeral. Last Monday, however, was the first time that I was held for about 15 minutes but I talked my way out without showing my papers. All was peaceful when I went over yesterday....

Sincerely yours,

Eugenie Zawadzki

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